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| Application Number     | 09/364,908      |
| Filing Date            | July 27, 1999   |
| First Named Inventor   | DELLACHERIE, E. |
| Art Unit               | 1651            |
| Examiner Name          | WITZ, J.C.      |
| Attorney Docket Number | 43869.016200    |

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application**  
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1. Submission required under 37 CFR §1.114

a. ☒ Previously submitted

i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on 10/24/2002  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

b. ☐ Enclosed

i. ☐ Amendment/Reply

ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

2. Miscellaneous

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b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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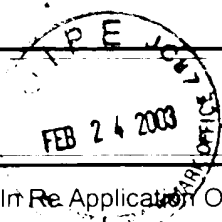
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